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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REMARKS**

Dear Sir:

The following Preliminary Amendment and Remarks are submitted for entry into the continuing application filed September 30, 2003 (this application being a continuation from application serial number 10/664,551, filed September 19, 2003). Further examination and consideration are requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

No Amendments to the Drawings are presented in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.